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Applicant(s): Masahiro KONDO

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: T. T. Nguyen Examiner

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION PROUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 22, 2003, the term for response to which expires on May 22, 2003.

ELECTION:

Applicant hereby elects Embodiment 1 (Species I), for further prosecution on the merits, without traverse.

The claims readable on elected Embodiment 1 (Species I) are claims 1, 4, 5 and 6.

It is respectfully submitted that the foregoing is fully responsive to the Examiner's election/restriction requirement, and it is respectfully requested that prosecution on the merits now proceed on the basis of the election set forth hereinabove.

If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the MAY 2 2 2003

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Dated: May 22, 2003

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undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: May 22, 2003

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